WEATHER REPORT.

INDICATIONS FOR SUNDAY .- For the Middle Atlantic States, increasing cloudiness followed by rain, northwesterly winds veering to southeasterly, stationary temperature, and lower pressure.

For the South Atlantic States, cloudy weather, followed by rain, northeasterly winds veering to southeasterly, stationary or higher temperature, and falling barome-

THE WEATHER SATURDAY was clear and cool. At night it was partly cloudy and

THERMOMETER SATURDAY: 6 A. M., 36 9 A. M., 46; noon, 57; 3 P. M., 57; 6 P. M., 50; midnight, 43.

LOCAL MATTERS.

Mean temperature, 48 1-6.

FOREIGN AND COASTWISE COMMERCE-EX-PORTS AND IMPORTS .- For the month ending | charged with the murder of a white man November 30th nine vessels cleared from named Aaron C. Shelton. One was senthe custom-house for foreign ports. Of this tenced to the penitentiary for eighteen number five carried flour valued at \$52,489, to Bayaria, Rio de Janeiro, Rio Grande de Sul, and San Jose del Norte-all Brazilian | waiting to be put on trial again. ports; two carried tobacco valued at \$76,550 to Bordeaux, France, and Bremen, Germany; one a miscellaneous cargo valued at \$1,014 to Pubnico, Nova Scotia; and one staves valued at \$6,000 to Matanzas, Cuba; staves of the value of \$900 and miscellaneous articles of the value of \$762 were also carried by the tobacco-vessel to Bremen. The total value of the exports was \$137,715. Value of exports for October as reported, \$554,

The imports for the month consisted of tish from Pubnico, Nova Scotia, valued at 82,874; plaster from Windsor, N. S., val-\$3,814. The value of the imports for October was not given at the custom-house, but was largely in excess of the above figures. For the past week there was one clearance, but no entrance for or from foreign ports was reported.

The coastwise trade has been correspondingly dull for the past month. The arrivals consisted of 32 vessels, all from ports north of Hatteras, and laden with coal, lime, lumber, ice, hay, grain, iron, apples, and assorted merchandisc. The number of vessels cleared was 30, destination as above; coal was the principal article shipped, with some granite, wood, ties, and miscellaneous produce.

For the week ending Saturday the arrivals consisted of ten and the departures of five vessels. There are a number of coastwise vessels in port loading, discharging, and waiting cargoes. At the Chesapeake wharves two barks are loading naphtha and petroleum for Europe the American schooner Minnie G. Loud, Fooks master, cleared for Matanzas, Cuba, with 6,000 bundles of staves, valued at vessel under a charter from Curtis & Par-

SATURDAY MARKETS .- The butcher-stalls looked very tempting Saturday, being heavily laden with savory steaks, choice cuts and chops, and roasts and rounds of all descriptions. Prices ranged from 10c. and asked who it was that called him a for common to 15c. per pound for choice. Seasonable vegetables were also abundant and cheap. There were plenty of apples, some few cranberries, and a good supply of dried fruit. Butter sold at from 15 brother did not duck his brother, but only to 25c. for good; eggs, 20c. per dozen; patted a little water on his head. Shelton chickens, 8 to 10c. per pound; turkeys, 10 then said he would pat (her) for him. Shelton the pattern and pattern than pead chapters for him. to 12½c. per pound. No ducks in the mar. ton then used abusive language to her; of rels superfine, 5 barrels fine, 20 barrels midket. Hares, 15 to 20c. apiece. Honey, hominy, herbs, and miscellaneous articles were plentiful. The fish market was well supplied at quotations as follows: Speckled perch, 20c. per bunch; mud shad, 15c. per bunch; rock, 25c. per bunch; trout, 15 to 20c. per bunch; oysters, 75c. to \$1 per gal-The supply of all articles was fully equal to the demand, and the marketmen and Lee, with their father's team and slide,

A REVIEW OF THE TOBACCO TRADE. - The tobacco trade continues very dull, and there ing to report. The breaks for the past week comprised 269 hogsheads and 15 tierces.

The Tobacco Exchange was closed on Thanksgiving-day, and the result of the tween Shelton and Lee Reynolds, and Lee week's transactions was a small increase fied. Shelton pursued him twelve or fifteen | tentiary fire. over that of the week ending November 23d.

large transactions on 'Change. Saturday the transactions were very insignificant. Only two packages were sold, at \$10.50 and \$12.63.

REVENUE COLLECTIONS .- The amount of United States internal revenue collected last | weighing 160 pounds. Lee and Burwell week was \$38.767.94, as follows: Monday, \$11,335.86; Tuesday, \$2,692.71; Wednesteen years. Burwell and Lee were in Nancy Lynch a notorious this who was day, \$5,957.03; Thursday, \$3,735.42; Friday, \$9,697.58; Saturday, \$5,349.34. This stick and knife. is a decrease of \$4,134.49 on the amount reported for the week ending November 23d. The deficit is partly accounted for, however, by the fact that the revenue office was closed nearly all of Thanksgiving-day, and but little business was transacted that day, trial the counse; for the defendants moved and also by the fact that some of our largest tobacconists have almost entirely suspended

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS. - The following is a statement of transfers of real estate for

the week ending November 30th: Lots fronting 25 feet on Marshall street near Mouroe at \$1.200; 25 feet on Main \$4,270; 30 feet on Church street at \$450; 29 feet on Clay street between Gilmer and Munford at \$655; 1162 feet on Twenty-sixth street between Broad and Marshall at \$1,200; - feet on N, Twenty-seventh, and Twentyeighth streets (one moiety of half square), at \$550; 264 feet on Tenth street between Main and Cary at \$1,259; 35 feet on Thirtieth street, corner of O, at \$737; 25 feet on Clay street between First and Second at \$1,775; interest in William Greaner's estate at \$400; 541 feet on Venable street between Eighteenth and McCance at \$1,575; 30 feet on Seventh street near Baker at \$300; 24½ feet on Franklin street near Sixth at \$2,450; 25 leet on Twenty-sourth street, corner of N. at \$1,575; 147 feet on Ohio street at \$500; trials took place at a special term of the and Ohio Railroad Company. Sent to jail 162 feet between Clay and Venable streets at Circuit Court of Patrick held last October, for thirty days, with twenty lashes added.
2850; 15 feet on Denny street, corner of resulting in a hung jury in the ease of BurLiberrati Pooti, charged with threaten-Presson at \$213; 27 feet on Second street Lee Reynolds, who was sentenced to the required to give bond to keep the peace, between Clay and Leigh at \$1.275; 52 feet penitentiary for eighteen years. between Clay and Leigh at \$1.275; 52 feet penitentiary for eighteen years. on St. Paul street between Federal and

THE GEORGE CASE. - The evidence in this tin and Captain A. M. Lybrock, counsel for case, now being tried before Judge Fitz- the defendants, offered their petition to hugh, who is sitting in the Hustings-Court Judge Rives, then holding court at Danroom, was concluded Saturday afternoon. ville, asking a habeas corpus for each of the The argument will be commenced this defendants, and that their cases be heard

COUNTY CASE DISPOSED OF .- Justice Hop-

and costs in favor of the plaintiff.

DAILY DISPARCH.

RICHMOND, VA., VOL. LIV

Indge Rives's Attempt to Force Negro Jarors Upon State Courts.

THE COLOR QUESTION.

THE EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT NOT YET OFFICIALLY INFORMED ABOUT THE TA-KING OF THE PRISONERS FROM PATRICK JAIL-HISTORY OF THE CRIME-HOW THE CASE GOT BEFORE THE UNITED STATES entitled to be tried by their peers, and inti-COURT AND WHAT JUDGE RIVES THINKS ABOUT OUR JURY SYSTEM-PERSONAL.

The Governor has not yet received any official information about the decision of United States Judge Rives, in consequence of which a deputy marshal a few days ago took from the jail of Patrick county two negro prisoners who were there confined by for the trial of these causes at the next term day, when employed in the business of the table distribution would place elsewhere; order of Judge Tredway. But the Governor of the court. had a conference with Attorney-General Field Saturday, and the latter has written to Judge Tredway and to the clerk of the Circuit Court of Patrick county for information. When that shall have been received the Governor and Attorney-General will undoubtedly do what is proper and possible to uphold the rights and dignity of the Commonwealth.

It is very certain that the General Assembly will direct their attention to the matter as soon as the facts can be obtained and communicated to them.

Burwell and Lee Reynolds, the prisoners, who are destined to become famous, were years; the other had been on trial, but the lury failed to agree, and he was in jail

SCHOOL-BUTTER" THE CAUSE OF THE CRIME. | condensed from that in the record when The facts proved were that Shelton had the case was before the Supreme Court of become provoked some time previous to the homicide (which occurred November 29, 1877,) because a younger brother of his had been "ducked" by the children of a negro school for hallooing "school-butter," of which school Lee Reynolds was a member.

jointly indicted with him, took an active and lowest points reached each day, and the part in the "ducking." This occurred direction of the wind: about two weeks before the homicide. On Tuesday morning preceding Thursday the day of the homicide, Shelton passed ued at \$724, and coffee from Rio Janeiro, the school-house while the school was in valued at \$216-total value of imports, session and hallooed "school-butter." He then passed on to his work, undisturbed, about four hundred yards distant, where he was to load his wagon with saw-logs, in which business he was at that time engaged.

"THE DUCKING." At recess of the school on the same day, the teacher having left his school in charge of one of the grown and advanced scholars. another brother of Aaron C. Shelton, probably thirteen years of age, approached the school-house at a distance of one hundred and tifty steps and hallooed " school-butter." The school-children pursued him until they arrived at where Aaron C. Shelton was standing in the road, with a stick in his hand, his uncle being present.

Some altercation took place between A. C. Shelton and the school-children-they retreating and he pursuing with a stone and stick, stating that his brother had been "ducked" a short time before, and he might pass there when he pleased and halloo school-butter" when he wished, and if he was ducked again he would shoot their heart-strings out, and, if necessary, would \$6,000, shipped by Josiah Harris & Co.; follow them into the school-house to do so, and if the school-teacher interfered would shoot him also.

Neither Burwell nor Lee Reynolds were present on this occasion. Shelton, however, approached a sister of Burwell and Lee Reynolds, and shock a stick over her rogue. She said nobody, and asked Shelton what all this meant. He replied, "one of your brothers ducked one of my little brothers some time ago." She said her patted a little water on his head. Shelton which the brothers Reynolds were in dlings, 133 barrels condemned. formed that afternoon.

THE HOMICIDE.

On the evening of the same day Shelton left in the road.

On the 29th of November (1877) Burwell without exception were complaining of and Shelton with his wagon, his brother Green with him, met each other near where the logs lay, nearly obstructing the way. The track was narrow, with a fence on one side and woods on the other, and is nothing worthy of remark or encourag- two such vehicles could not pass without one giving the road. Burwell Reynolds drove his slide out of the road. The At auction on 'Change 180 packages were wagon was found in the road exactly offered. Of this number 74 were taken in opposite the rear of the slide. Between the and 106 sold. Prices ranged from \$1.50 to wagon and slide, directly between the fore-\$50, which was the result of Tuesday's and hind-wheels of the wagon, Lee Reynolds was found standing with a gun and stick. There was a quarrel and scuffle bepaces and struck bim, knocking him over Loose tobacco has commenced coming in a log. At that time Burwell Reynolds in considerable quantities, and some very ran up and stabbed Shelton in the back with heavy sales have been made. Prices, how- a large butcher-knife, which had been used ever, continue small. The sales of loose as a tobacco-knife. It was further proved tobacco also operate in a measure against that Lee Reynolds was found immediately afterwards, about fifty yards from the place of homicide, in the woods, with his gun cocked. Burwell fled the county. Lee did not. It was proved that Aaron Shelton was a young man twenty-two years of age, of extraordinary physical developmentwere aged respectively eighteen and nine- the shoes honestly. From him it was soon

Circuit Court of Patrick county, at its April term, 1878, Burwell and Lee Reynolds were tried for the murder of Shelton. Before the the Court to award them a special venire, to for having received this property knowing be composed of both whites and blacks, it to have been stolen. since the venire in attendance was composed wholly of whites, and no negro's of the Police Justice this morning. name had been put into the ballot-box. Judge Tredway overruled this motion. Thereupon the defendants offered a petition. praying that the cause be removed to the United States Circuit Court to be held at street between Fourteenth and Fifteenth at Danville, under the laws of the United appellees, and submitted. States [Revised Statutes, 2d Ed., 1878, This petition was refused.

The defendants, who were jointly indicted, elected thereupon to be tried separately. Burwell Reynolds, having been duly arraigned and tried, was found guilty | posed of Saturday : of murder in the first degree, but, upon a motion in arrest of judgment, the verdict the premises of Otto Morgenstern. Diswas set aside and a new trial awarded him. | charged. Lee Reynolds was then tried, and found guilty of murder in the second degree, and premises of Joseph Augustine, was fined the motion for a new trial having been over- \$2.50. Committed in default. ruled, his counsel appealed, and upon a writ of error from the Supreme Court of Appeals the court below was reversed, and a new trial awarded him also. The new for stealing old iron from the Chesapeake

\$ 641].

JUDGE RIVES TAKES A HAND. On the 19th instant Colonel William Mar-

anew in his court at its next term. Judge Rives took until next morning to consider the prayer of the petition. kins, of Henrico county, on Saturday dis-posed of the civil case of Butterfield vs. all the proceedings in the State court were Young, rendering a decision for principal angatory after the offering of the petition commandery, No. 2, were among the speak-We, the mem of removal, although the Judge had refused ers.

THE NATIONAL GRANGE.

at length upon the humane law of the State which requires furors to be summoned without respect to race or color, and while he admitted that it was a question entirely for the Judge who were competent yet when these defendants demanded that they should be tried by at least some of their own race the Judge vio-MEETING, &c., &c. lated the law of the United States in refusing them this right. He said they were NINTH DAY-MORNING SESSION. The Grange met at 9 o'clock on Saturday, should not select their jurymen exclusively from the whites. After an elaborate consideration of the law, Judge Rives read an nance reported the following schedule of order which required the clerk to issue a salaries for the current year: Worthy mashabeas corpus cum causa for each of the ter, \$750; treasurer, \$500; lecturer, \$4 per

In accordance with the opinion of Judge Rives, a deputy United States marshal was furnished with an order, with which be proceeded to Patrick Courthouse. The in. sheriff of the county was absent, and the person in charge of the jail delivered up demand. The latter officer then took the

to allow the same. The Judge commented

Judge Alexander Rives, who has thus violently thrust this question upon public attention, is a native of Virginia, a brother due, and place the amount on their books to of the late Hon. William C. Rives, and for a time after the close of the war was a member of the Supreme Court of Virginia. His position in the Western District of Virginia tation in the State Grange, allowing any is the same as Judge Hughes's in this dis-

The history of the crime above given was Appeals at Wytheville.

> Statistics for November. METEOROLOGICAL.

thermometer (Fahrenheit) at sunrise during His brother, Burwell Reynolds, who was the month of October, as also the highest

CONDITION.	Sun- rise.	Mini- mum.	Course of Wind.	Maxi- mum.
Nov'r 1—Clear	29	29	N. E	51
2—Clear	32	32	S. W	64
3—Clear	43	43	N. W	51
4—Clear	30	30	S. E	52
5—Clear	32	32	N. W	51
6—Partly cloudy 7—Cloudy 8—Clear 9—Clear 10—Clear	35	31	S. W	68
	54	54	W	72
	34	33	W	57
	33	32	N	59
	30	30	S. E	61
11—Partly cloudy	35	34	š	68
12—Partly cloudy 13—Clear 14—Clear 15—Clear 16—Cloudy 17—Cloudy 18—Cloudy	50 34 35 31 37 56 51	50 34 35 31 30 56 51	S. W S. W S. W E E	66 65 55 54 64 63 57
19-Partly cloudy 20-Cloudy 21-Showery 22-Partly	39	39	W	61
	46	46	N. W	61
	45	45	E	62
cloudy	48	48	S	52
23—Clear	40	39	N. W	54
24—Clear	36	34	E	66
25-Partly cloudy 26-Cloudy 27-Raining 28-Cloudy 29-Clear 30-Clear	42 40 43 27 32	42 42 40 41 27 29	S N. W E W N. W	73 56 63 56 56

MARRIAGE-LICENSES ISSUED.

to white and four to colored couples. FLOUR INSPECTIONS.

The following is a statement of the flour inspected in Richmond during the month ending November, 1878: 1,087 barrels family, 2,730 barrels extra superfine, 1,252 bar-

DEEDS RECORDED.

One hundred and ninety-six deeds were received for record in the clerk's office of least a reduction of the same. and the Reynolds boys had a dispute about | the Chancery Court during November, and | some logs which Shelton's uncle had cut and | 71 deeds were received for record in the made the following report: c'erk's office of the Henrico County Court. CORONER'S CASES.

During the month of November Coroner Taylor viewed nine dead bodies and beld inquests in three cases. Two cases investigated were cases of infanticide, and two vere persons who were drowned in the dock.

UNITED STATES REVENUE COLLECTED. The amount of United States internal Saturday was \$210,419.16. This is a decrease of about \$6,000 on the collections reported for the month of October.

FIRE-ALARMS. During the past month there were six fire-

FEMALE BURGLARS .- On the night of Sunday 24th the office of D. H. Hey, junkdealer, southeast corner of Eighth and Cary streets, was entered by thieves, who gained access by prizing open the blinds of a rear window. Four watches and a pair of shoes, worth together \$37.50, were carried off. No clew as to the thieves was obtained un-

I Saturday, when a colored man came to Mr. Hey and offered to sell him the very pair of shoes stolen from him. This man, it appeared, had come into the possession of quantity of coal and sent to jail. Nancy. when approached, confessed this crime. It appears from the records that in the She said that a woman named Jennie, who (according to her account) is now gone to the country, was her accomplice. Sergeant Perrin and Officer Fensom arrested Edgar Meekins, Alfred Lewis, and Susan Miller All the parties will receive the attention

SUPREME COURT OF APPEALS, SATURDAY .-Smith and als. vs. Blackwell and als. Argued by William L. Royall, Esq., for appel-

lants and Judge William J. Robertson for Francis vs. Francis. Submitted. Carter vs. Rogers, executor. Submitted.

POLICE COURT-Justice Joseph J. White presiding .- The following cases were dis-Albert Taylor (colored), trespassing on

Julia Brooks (colored), trespassing on the

William Temple, a suspicious character, was committed to jail. Nancy Lynch, an old offender, arrested

Fifth, at \$100; 30 feet on Eighth street near well, and in a verdict of guilty in that of ing to cut J. W. Taylor with a knife, was Levi Coleman, drunk and using profane

language in the market-house. hours in fail Malachi Johnson, a vagrant, was committed for five days.

COMMANDERY OF ST. ANDREW .- This commandery of Kulghts Templar was instituted Saturday night at St. Alban's Hall by Grand Commander James G. Baine, of Portsmouth. After which a banquet was spread and United States Senator Withers and Past Commander Thompson, of Washington ciples which were passed by the Grange

MONDAY MORNING. DECEMBER 2, 1878.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE LAST DAY'S SES-SION-AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITU-TION-THE TOBACCO-TAX QUESTION-CHANGE IN REGALIA-CANANDAIGUA, Nº Y., SELECTED AS THE NEXT PLACE OF

pursuant to adjournment, and was opened in regular form. The Committee on Fisaid parties to the sheriff or juiler of Pat- day, when actually employed under the dirick county, and to have a special venire, rection of the proper authorities; mem-"irrespective of race or color," summoned | bers of the Executive Committee, \$4 per order. All of these officers to have their

actual necessary expenses paid. The committee also reported in favor of paying the janitor of the hall in which this marts of sale; its votaries have been and meeting is held. The report was concurred

The Committee on Constitution and By-Laws, to whom had been referred certain the prisoners upon the deputy marshal's proposed amendments, reported that in their judgment it was inexpedient to legisprisoners to Chatham, the county-seat of late further upon the subjects proposed. Pittsylvania, and lodged them in jail there. Authority was given to the Farmer Authority was given to the Farmers' Trust Company of New York to draw the interest on United States bonds whenever

> the credit of the Grange. Under instructions the committee reported an amendment regarding the represenfourth-degree member to be elected a representative from the county to the State Grange. The report was not concurred in. Mr. Lang, of Texas, presented the follow-

AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION: "State Granges * * * shall be composed of representatives elected by the subordinate granges; Provided, That when the The following table shows the state of the number of subordinate granges in any State becomes so great as to render it necessary such State Grange may, in such manner as it may determine, reduce its representation. Section 2. Fourth-degree members in good

standing are eligible and may be elected as representatives in a State Grange." The amendment was not adopted, the committee subsequently reporting adversely to its adoption.

The Committee on the Good of the Order reported resolutions recommending, under request of the Commissioner of Agriculture, closer and more intimate connections with his department, and appointing a committee to confer with him. The re-

port was adopted. The Committee on Resolutions reported, recommending the adoption of the supplemental paper offered Friday night by Mr. Darden, of Mississippi. Adopted.

The Committee on Foreign Relations reported fraternal resolutions of greeting to the Dominion Grange of Canada, which were adopted.

The Committee on the Order of Business reported a regular order of business for the future, and recommending the appointment of eighteen standing committees. Adopted. The Committee on Credentials reported that California was entitled to representation in the body. TAX ON TOBACCO.

Blanton and referred to a special committee, cordial cooperation of farmers, wherever of which Mr. Wayne, of New York, is located, to insure that success which is chairman:

Whereas the internal-revenue tax upon Forty-eight marriage-licenses were issued tobacco is not only unequal and unjust, but from the clerk's office of the Hustings Court operates injuriously both upon the pro- their efforts with ours, confident that with during November-24 to white and 24 to ducers of this great agricultural staple and their support we shall not wait long for the colored couples. During the same period the consumers; and whereas its disastrous consummation of our hopes. We appeal to effects are to be seen in the depressed condition agricultural journals of the land, asking county clerk's office-seven of which were tion of all the markets for the sale of this their great influence in aid of the above obof the States in which this is the principal the intelligence of our people we present money crop; therefore

rect that a respectful but earnest memorial reverently trust in the direction of the wise be prepared by the Executive Committee of | Providence by whose decree we were made the National Grange, and have the same pre- tillers of the soil that our efforts may be resented to the Congress of the United States, | warded by the full accomplishment of the praying for the repeal of the unjust law measures which justice demands in the relevying this onerous and partial tax, or at lief of an oppressed industry and the higher

On this paper the committee on Saturday

Your committee, to which was referred the foregoing resolution, has given careful returned to this city Saturday after an abattention to the subject-matter presented, and especially to the request embodied the custom-house a cargo of 3,115 barrels of therein, by which this body is sought to direct its Executive Committee to prepare a gium, per Norwegian bark Agathe, Govertmemorial to the National Congress, asking sen master. This is the first cargo of naphrelief from an onerous tax. In the judg- tha ever shipped from Richmond. ment of the members of your committee. there is rank injustice in the law that assigns to a special product of agriculture revenue collected for the month ending any undue share of the public burden; and that such is the fact in the case present ed is apparent. We do, therefore, recommend that this Grange comply with the terms and spirit of the resolution, and assign to the Executive Committee the duty alarms, two of which were from the peni- of preparing and presenting the memorial at such time and in such manner as the committee may deem for the best interests of

the farmers whose interests are concerned. Very much interest was manifested in the matter, it seeming to meet the sentiments of every member, so much so that in order to make it more effective in its operations it was amended so as to make it the duty of the Executive Committee to have the memorial printed in the form of a petition to Congress and sent to every subordinate grange in the country for signature. The re-

port as amended was unanimously adopted. The subject of change in

THE REGALIA of the order was referred to the Executive Committee for consideration and report at the next meeting of the Grange.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS. Mr. Ellis, of Ohio, moved to amend the rulings so as to allow subordinate granges to ballot for more than one applicant for membership at the same time. The motion was lost.

Resolutions of thanks to the Governor for were unanimously adopted with a rising

The proposed amendments to the constitution were ordered to be promptly printed and forwarded to the State Granges for their action thereon. The proceedings of this session of the

Grange were ordered to be printed and forwarded to the secretaries of the several State Granges.

PLACE FOR THE NEXT MEETING. A good many places were proposed by the members from the several States and their claims advocated. The law requires that the selection shall be made by ballot, and the Grange proceeded to vote. On the sixth ballot the town of Canandaigua, New

York, was chosen as the place. Mr. Chase, of New Hampshire, was appointed delegate to the Dominion Grange f Canada. Mr. Lang, of Texas, offered the following

Resolved by the National Grange, That it contrary to the laws and purposes of the order of the Patrons of Husbandry for a grange-subordinate, State, or Nationalto call political conventions, nominate candidates for political offices, or discuss their merits. The resolution was unanimously adopted.

The journal was then read preparatory to adjournment. After its approval the Master, in a few remarks thanking the members for their courtesy and kindness and wishing them a safe and happy return to their homes, closed the Grange in due form. Thus ends the twelfth session of the National Grange, Patrons of Husbandry.

DECLARATION OF PRINCIPLES. The following is the declaration of prin-We, the members of the National Grange,

desiring to define the precise objects of the Order of Patrons of Husbandry, and place Saturday engaged in putting down a new sidewalk along the northeast corner of

tnem before the membership of the order throughout the Union, do hereby set forth Main and Eleventh streets. the following propositions with our distinct declaration of purpose relating Tobacco Exchange for the month of No-

The industry upon which our order is

based is agriculture—the most important of nal company report very encouraging outall industries—the foundation and support ward and inward freights for the week and of all others—the true basis of all our namonth ending November 30th. tional prosperity. We have observed the condition of our people, and viewed with Henrico, was engaged all day Saturday in alarm the encroachments upon their natu- the consideration of the case of Waldheimer ral rights. While agriculture is the chief vs. Morris. The case will be called again source of all wealth, and therefore deserv- to-day. ing of at least equal recognition with other vocations, it is deprived of its just rewards hav, iron, and assorted merchandise, all and oppressed by methods of law. It is from New York. No shipments. made to bear grievous burdens not its own; it is compelled to pay taxes which an equi- cleared Saturday for Matanzas, Cuba, was loaded in twenty-nine working hours with 6,000 bundles (240,000) hoops. This is conit is forced by wicked combinations to subsidered very quick work. mit to hartful discriminations against its products both in transportation and in the are now denied that consideration in public affairs to which the magnitude and the im- time. portance of their calling entitle them. The laws of the nation and of the several States York, Norfolk, and Williamsburg, and sailare so framed as to divert from our great ed to Philadelphia and Baltimore. industry the rewards which are the great incentives to toil, and an earnest remonon Saturday appointed a notary public by

In view of these truths we are bound in defence of our manhood to assert our rights, the penitentiary Saturday: Joe Bradshaw, and we therefore declare our unalterable two years; John Jones, ten years; Wiley purpose to emancipate agriculture from the Black, five years-all from Halifax county, burdens unjustly heaped upon it, and the for house-breaking; Mary Woodson, Flomeans by which we shall seek to secure the rence Woodson, and Leanna Pryor. from desirable ends. Nelson county, each for three years for lar-1. We shall strive earnestly, within and

strance against their injustice spurned.

vithout our order, to extend the benefits of education, which shall comprise knowledge of public affairs and the methods of self-2. We shall demand admission in the lo gislatures of the several States, and in both

houses of the National Congress, for repre-

sentatives of agriculture chosen directly from its votaries, as the only means of re-3. We shall accord to other industries all the rights, privileges, and immunities, which we claim for our own, and join with new colored company in Petersburg. their representatives in earnest endeavors to impress upon the Governments of States and nations habits of wise economy and

frugality as essential to the thrift and prosperity of all the people. 4. We shall give constant care and attention to the public schools, in which the outh of the nation are deeply interested, imiting expenditures therefor only by their usefulness, striving always for that higher and practicable enlightenment which should ecome the distinguishing feature of a free

After the above had been adopted the fol

owing was also presented and passed: In accordance with the above objects of our organization, and the methods by which they are to be obtained, we pledge our unvielding devotion to the work marked out. We believe the principles enunciated in our declaration are in full accord with the highest welfare of our country, and that they deserve support, especially by all farmers. The history of agriculture on this | will only grant this for thirty days. continent shows that no organization in its behalf has ever been attempted without direct effort on the part of those who prey upon its products to neutranze the work, and the lessons of the past establ The following paper was offered by Dr. viction that our only hope is in the full and

within their grasp. We appeal, therefore, to good men and women, whose interests are our own, to join product, as well as in the condition of the jects as a potent means for the attainment once flourishing towns and villages in some of a great object. To these forces and to the purposes which animate many thousands Resolved, That this National Grange di- of farmers in every State of our Union, and

enlightenment of its votaries. PERSONAL .- Mr. C. Edward Buck, agent for Meissner, Ackermann & Co., New York, sence of two months, and has cleared at naphtha, to be shipped for Antwerp, Bel-

The visitors to the Tobacco Exchange Saturday were W. A. Merryman, Hanover; Leroy Roper, Petersburg; J. B. Budwell, Goochland; and A. J. Gray, Cumberland.

THE THEATRE TO-NIGHT .- Miss Katie Putuam and her noted comedy company will commence a brief engagement at the Theatre to-night, on which occasion she will appear as Little Nell, the Marchioness. The company is represented as being an excellent one, and there will no doubt be i fine audience and a most enjoyable performance. The following is the cast : Samson Brass, J. H. Fitzpatrick; Dick Swiveller, Harry Gwynette; Grandfather Trent, John C. Morrison; Quilp, Samuel H. Verney; Slum, George Gaston; Burton, John Dailey; Showman, Jerry Lant; Higgins, Samuel K. Lane; Schoolmaster, James Mc-Donald; Mrs. Jarley, Bessie Clifton; Sallie Brass, Sara Alexander; Mrs. Quilp, Georgie Reignolds; Fortune-Teller, Nellie West; Kit, Eva Byron; Sophie Wackles, Rose Moss.

STUDY OF NATURAL SCIENCES .- A meeting of young gentlemen who desire to study natural sciences was held on Saturday night at the office of Dr. Jud. B. Wood. Mr. M. M. Welch was called to the chair, and H. Theodore Ellyson appointed secretary. A committee of five on constitution and by-laws was appointed, consisting of Dr. Jud. B. Wood, Messrs. H. Theodore Ellythe free use of the hall, fuel, and lights, were unanimously adouted with a rising L. M. Cowardin, to report at an adjourned meeting to be held at an early day.

CONCERT AND TABLEAUX TO BE REPEATED. The ladies of Centenary church have been persuaded to repeat their very interesting concert and tableaux at Mozart Hall tonight, and a most enjoyable evening is promised all who will attend. The programme has been changed in several particulars, as will be seen by reference to their announcement, and considerably improved. Of course there will be a fine audience present. LOTTA.-Lotta appears at the Theatre on

Monday and Tuesday evenings, December 9th and 10th, presenting her plays, "Musette" and "La Cigale." Lotta is as much of a phenomenon as her sex ever produced. Her popularity ceased to perplex people years ago. She is such an attractive actress hat she will doubtless be greeted by large MRS. TYLER'S CONCERT TUESDAY NIGHT.

To-morrow night Mrs. James Tyler, Miss Swain, and others, will give a grand concert at Mozart Hall, for the benefit of the Meade Memorial church in Manchester. Of course such talent and such a cause will draw a full house. Reserved seats may be had at Wyatt's.

Bad Gas .- For a week or more the gas furnished the people of this city has been inferior in light-giving qualities to what they have been used to, and has been notable for its bad odor.

THE BOARD OF CANVASSERS .- The rectifled return from Scott county has arrived in the city, and it is hoped that the State Board of Canvassers will be able to complete their labors to-day.

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BRIEF LOCAL ITEMS .- Workmen were

The number of visitors registered at the

All the railroads, steamboats, and the ca-

vember was two bundred and sixty-four.

The coastwise receipts Saturday wer

The schooner Minnie G. Loud, which

Steamers arrived Saturday from New

William Skeen, of Alleghany county, was

The following convicts were received at

Professor Harrison, of Richmond Col-

lege, living on the Grove road, was robbed

few nights since of a fine bog weighing

two hundred pounds, and which he very

speedily expected to have in his smoke-

It is reported that the staves burned at

the recent fire at the penitentiary were

bought in Michigan. Stave timber must be

Governor Holliday on Saturday commis-

COMMON COUNCIL.-The regular Decem-

ber meeting of the Common Council will be

Sunday Hours at the Post-Office.

RICHMOND, VA., November 30, 1878.

Believing it would subserve the public

convenience to change the hour for the Sun-

day delivery of the mails, it is ordered that

on and after to-morrow, December 1, 1878,

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E. B. COOK, 11 A. M., wearing apparel, trunks, clothes-chest, Knight Templar's rezulta, &c.
R. S. ANDERSON & SON, 10 A. M., proceries, &c. J. R. HOCKADAY, 10 A. M., grocerles. FRANCIS T. ISBELL. 4% P. M., lot on the north side of Grace street between Third and Fourth

streets.

JAMES M. TAYLOR & SON. 4 P. M., trustee's sale of brick dwelling No. 707 Thirtieth street, between M and N streets.

W. GODDIN, 12 M., trustee's sale of valuable market-garden and dairy-farm of forty-eight acres one mile east of the city.

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